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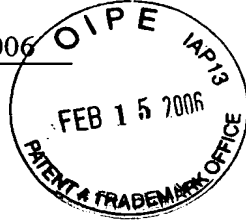
In re the Application of

Tadashi OHTA

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)
AND TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17**

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Request for Continued Examination based on the above-identified patent application. The shortened statutory period for response having expired on December 19, 2005, an extension of time for a period of two months is hereby requested. Attached hereto is our Check No. 176483 in the amount of \$450.00 pursuant to 37 CFR §1.17.

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